

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 28, 36, 37 and 44-46 without prejudice, amend claims 12, 16 and 19, and add new claims 47 and 48, such that the status of the pending claims is as follows:

1-11. (Canceled)

12. (Twice amended) A portable alert system for receiving emergency event data, the portable alert system comprising:

 a radio receiver for receiving emergency event data;
 a global positioning system receiver for determining a location of the portable alert system;
 a satellite receiver for receiving digital data;
 a computer processor disposed within the portable alert system having; and
 control software utilized by the computer processor for processing the emergency event data and an input from the global positioning system to provide an output to a display indicating a position of the portable alert system and a position of an emergency, wherein the computer processor further processes utilizes the control software to process the input from the global positioning system receiver to automatically program the radio receiver to receive only an emergency data broadcast data signal associated with the location of the portable alert system; and wherein the computer processor further utilizes the control software to simultaneously process the emergency event data from the radio receiver and the digital data from the satellite receiver.
 a satellite receiver for receiving weather radar data.

13-15. (Canceled)

16. (Twice amended) The portable alert system of claim 12 wherein the digital data received by the satellite receiver ~~is configured to receive~~ comprises digital radar data from a satellite radio.

17-18. (Canceled)

19. (Twice Amended) A portable alert system for receiving emergency event data, the portable alert system comprising:

 a radio receiver for receiving emergency event data;
 a global positioning system receiver for determining a location of the portable alert system;
 a cellular phone system for receiving digital data;
 a computer processor disposed within the portable alert system having; and
 control software utilized by the computer processor for processing the emergency event data and an input from the global positioning system to provide an output to a display indicating a position of the portable alert system and a position of an emergency, wherein the computer processor further processes utilizes the control software to process the input from the global positioning system receiver to automatically program the radio receiver to receive only an emergency data broadcast data signal associated with the location of the portable alert system; and wherein the computer processor further utilizes the control software to simultaneously process the emergency event data from the radio receiver and the digital data from the cellular phone system.

~~a cellular phone system for receiving digital weather radar data.~~

20-41. (Canceled)

42. (Previously Added) The portable alert system of claim 12, wherein the emergency data broadcast data signal is associated with a specified analog broadcast frequency.

43. (Previously Added) The portable alert system of claim 19, wherein the emergency data broadcast data signal is associated with a specified analog broadcast frequency.

44-46. (Canceled)

47. (New) The portable alert system of claim 12, wherein the digital data comprises emergency event data.

48. (New) The portable alert system of claim 19, wherein the digital data comprises emergency event data.